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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
9 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
SEATTLE DIVISION

10 DONALD WAYNE BAKER,

11 Plaintiff,

12 vs.

13 NANCY A. BERRYHILL,  
14 Acting Commissioner of Social Security,

15 Defendant.

Civil No. 2:18-CV-01720-RSM

ORDER

16 Based on the stipulation of the parties, it is ORDERED that the Commissioner's decision in  
17 regard to Plaintiff's application for disability insurance benefits under Title XVI of the Social  
18 Security Act be REVERSED and REMANDED to the Commissioner of Social Security pursuant to  
19 sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g). On remand, the Administrative Law Judge shall evaluate the  
20 evidence submitted to the Appeals Council; reevaluate the opinion evidence of record; reassess  
21 Plaintiff's maximum residual functional capacity; if warranted by the expanded record, obtain  
22 supplemental vocational expert evidence to clarify the effect of the assessed limitations on Plaintiff's  
23 ability to perform other work in the national economy; and offer Plaintiff the opportunity for a  
24 hearing, take any further action needed to complete the administrative record, and issue a new  
decision.

1 DATED this 13 day of May 2019.

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4 RICARDO S. MARTINEZ  
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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